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In re Application of:

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Serial No: 10/600,893

On Petition

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For: **APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR HANDLING SHARED SERVICES THROUGH VIRTUAL ROUTING FOR WARDING(VRF) -AWARE- NAT**

In response to the petitions received on October 25, 2004, to withdraw the holding of abandonment in the above application.

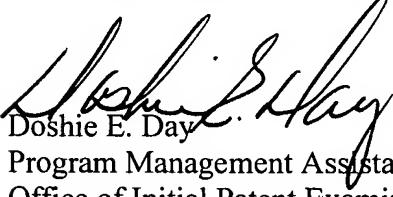
The petition is Granted.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply with the meaning of 37 C.D.R 1.113 in a timely manner to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed September 25, 2003 Which set forth a shortened statutory period for reply of two months. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned November 26, 2003. The notice of abandonment was mailed on October 15, 2004.

The evidence submitted is sufficient to establish that the petitioners responded to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers on November 28, 2003.

The application was abandoned in error. The office regrets any inconvenience this may have caused the client.

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